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Title: SECURITY SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR COMPUTER OPERATING SYSTEMS

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### **DECLARATION OF STEVEN STARKIE**

#### I, STEVEN STARKIE, DECLARE:

- 1. I am a principal of the law firm of Griffith Hack of Perth, West Australia, which represents Secure Systems Ltd., the assignce of the above-referenced patent application. I make this declaration in connection with a petition of the applicants and Secure Systems Ltd., to accept this application on behalf of fewer than all the named inventors, under 35 U.S.C. §116, second paragraph, and 37 C.F.R. §1.47(a).
- 2. Upon information and belief, Secure Systems Ltd. filed this application on September 28, 2005. All the named inventors are employees of Secure Systems Ltd. or have been in the past.
- 3. Upon information and belief, by letter dated May 23, 2006 and sent by Toll Priority (a courier service of Toll Transport Pty Ltd of Australia), restricted delivery, signature of receipt requested, I sent to Mr. Powers a complete copy of the application as filed, including drawing figures, and an inventor's Declaration and Assignment, and requested Mr. Powers to sign the Declaration and return it to him. A copy of that letter is attached at <u>Tab 1</u>. Mr. Powers has not replied to that letter.

4. Upon information and belief, Toll Priority returned to me a receipt stating that the carrier delivered the package to the specified address on "27/5/06" (May 27, 2006). A copy of the proof of delivery is attached at <u>Tab 2</u>. As of the date of this declaration, Mr. Powers has not returned a signed Declaration to me.

The undersigned being warned that willful false statements and the like are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001, and that such willful false statements and the like may jeopardize the validity of the application or document or any registration resulting therefrom, declares that all statements made of his/her own knowledge are true; and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true.

Dated: 3) July, 2007

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# EXHIBIT 1 TO DECLARATION OF STEVEN STARKIE



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### **BY COURIER**

23 May 2006

Dear Mr Powers

United States Of America Patent Application No. 10/551,674 in the name of SECURE SYSTEMS LIMITED entitled SECURITY SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR COMPUTER OPERATING SYSTEMS
Our Ref: SJS:JN:FP22509

Secure Systems Limited has filed the above-noted patent application. It is based in part on your work under contract with the company, and therefore you were named as an inventor. A complete copy of the application as filed is enclosed.

We believe that your contractual obligations require you to assign invention rights to Secure Systems Limited. Therefore, we also enclose an Assignment of ownership rights to the company, and an inventor's Declaration. Please sign, date and return the Assignment and Declaration to us. No notarization or other special processing is required. A prepaid return courier envelope is enclosed. Alternatively, you may make an image scan of the signed papers and email them to me.

If you have any questions, please contact me at <u>steven.starkie@griffithhack.com.au</u> or telephone number 9 221 3779.

Yours sincerely

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# EXHIBIT 2 TO DECLARATION OF STEVEN STARKIE

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